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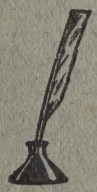
Town of Bradford

NEW HAMPSHIRE



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OF THE

SELECTMEN

TREASURER

AND OTHER TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF BRADFORD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOGETHER WITH THE STATEMENT

OF THE

SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31

1918

AND THE

VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1917

NEWPORT, N. H.
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Resident Taxpayers

Assessed in the town of Bradford for the year 1917.

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Abbott, George A.	$ 2.00	Bartlett, Fred L.	4.36
Alexander, John	2.00	Bartlett, L. F.	25.46
Ansart, James	2.00	Bellows, Henry F.	2.00
Ansart, Albert J.	5.72	Blanchard, Clara E.	45.60
Ansart, Marietta, Est.	22.80	Blood, Hollis L.	42.10
Austin, George C.	3.52	Bradford A. & M. Co.	10.26
Ayer, Lafayette	27.36	Butman, L. B.	67.52
Ayer, Harold W.	47.60	Butcher, W. S.	3.14
Andrews, J. L. Mrs.	30.40	Brown, Arthur C.	2.00
Andrews, John L.	5.65		
		Carr, William A.	47.12
		Carr, William M.	161.60
Bagley, David D.	2.00	Carr, Frank T.	52.03
Bagley, Frank T.	2.00	Carr, Leon H.	2.00
Bagley, Horace F.	3.67	Caldwell, Arthur C.	2.00
Bagley, George A.	7.62	Chase, J. D.	17.69
Bailey, Joseph	49.12	Chase, Plummer D.	19.23
Bailey, Elva J.	25.84	Chase, Charles H.	15.31
Bailey, Willis N.	52.31	Chase, Viola E.	10.56
Bailey, A. W., Est.	7.60	Cheney, George H.	29.36
Barnes, John L.	26.17	Cheney, Charles H.	23.28
Barnes, Lewis D.	2.00	Cheney, Walter C.	20.24
Barnes, Guy M.	2.00	Cheney, William P.	2.00
Baker, John E.	2.00	Cheney & Danforth	4.56
Barstow, Gideon G.	13.55	Cheney, Addie Mrs.	12.16
Barnard, John M.	2.00	Choate, William G.	2.00
Bates, Byron N.	56.37	Choate, Orie A.	18.24
Bartlett, Carlos F.	27.66	Cilley, George A.	61.28

Name	Tax
Clement, Harold S.	2.00
Clement, A. W.	23.28
Clement, Hartwell D.	2.00
Colby, Fred A.	58.24
Colby, Fred A. Mrs.	7.60
Colby, Winnifred	2.00
Colby, Laura A.	2.28
Colby, Everett C.	2.00
Colby, Silas, Est.	79.82
Colby, Darius E.	15.30
Colby, S., Est. in trust	45.60
Colby, Will	5.04
Corrigan, Hugh	78.76
Corrigan, Leon	2.00
Cofrin, George W.	93.35
Craig, Parker B.	3.04
Craig, Milton O.	28.45
Craig, Andrew J.	43.50
Cram, Orlen D.	43.42
Cressey, Geo. W. W.	46.36
Cressey, Myron G. P.	70.93
Cressey, Hattie A.	16.72
Cressey, John W.	30.12
Cressey, Byron A.	72.30
Crittenden, E. Mrs.	38.38
Cummings, R. W.	78.91
Cummings, Gaylord	9.60
Cummings, Lloyd R.	2.00
Cummings, Thos. G.	2.00
Cummings, M. H.	2.00
Cummings, Mary T.	19.76
Cummings, Harlan G.	2.00
Cleveland & Barstow	22.80
Cheney, Harry C.	2.00
Clark, M. H., Est.	29.26
Daigle, Thomas	57.70
Daigle, Frederick	5.04
Danforth, C. A. & Co.	122.36
Danforth, Carl A.	11.12
Danforth, E. S. Mrs.	22.80
Davis, Sam. D., Est.	16.72
Davis, S. D. & W. F.	5.93
Davis, Emily E.	16.72
Davis, Walter F.	12.03
Davis, Henry G.	2.99
Davis, Lauchlin	36.96
Davidson, Sarah J.	22.80
Lodge, Edwin H.	51.73
Dunston, Thomas	2.00
Eaton, Willis J.	41.22
Eaton, Alice M. Mrs.	40.81
Eaton, Eliza J., Est.	7.60
Ennis, E. R., A. F. & B. L.	42.56
Eaton, W. P.	24.04
Ewins, George W.	16.72
Farr, Edward C.	56.67
Forsaith, E. J.	23.52
Forsaith, A. K.	6.56
Forsaith, Robert A.	2.00
Fortune, Frank	56.95
Fortune, John	2.00

Name	Tax
Fortune, Clarence	2.00
Fosburg, Andrew	24.42
Fowler, Robert M.	8.68
Fortune, Leon	2.00
G. A. R. Hall	22.80
Gardner, Arthur B.	27.84
Gardner, M. F. and M. M.	18.24
Gillingham, F. H.	48.06
Gillis, Charles, Est.	.38
Gillis, C. Mrs., Est.	81.88
Gibson, A. W.	2.00
Gillingham, Grover C.	2.00
Gocha, George W.	9.22
Goss, Aaron W.	2.00
Gore, Lauchlin	2.00
Gould, George B.	57.02
Gould, G. B. & Son	4.56
Gould, Frank B.	2.00
Gould, Florence B.	3.01
Grange Hall	18.24
Greeley, Isabel	22.80
Gregory, Louis	2.00
Graves, Frank W.	2.00
Green, H. Russell	34.30
Hadley, Sara R.	86.64
Hadley, Cyrus E.	50.26
Hadley, Oliver	2.00
Hadley, Charles Mrs.	9.12
Hall, Oi, Est.	74.48
Hall, Everett	2.76
Hall, John A.	25.94
Hall, Mary C.	23.56
Hall, Lester F.	10.06
Hall, Fred B.	14.16
Hall, Jerry S.	26.60
Hall, Samuel S.	21.76
Hale, John H.	2.00
Haskell, Carl P.	2.00
Hawes, Fred L.	57.18
Heath, Arthur F.	2.99
Hildreth, J. M. Mrs.	17.10
Hemphill, George A.	15.68
Hemphill, Frank E.	25.79
Holton, John	2.00
Howe, Frank H.	18.72
Howlett, Fred O.	29.28
Holman, Lydia	15.20
Hoyt, George A.	32.70
Hoyt, Elbridge G.	9.14
Hoyt & Courser	18.24
Hoyt, John	13.68
Hoyt, Delmon C.	50.72
Hoyt, Lizzie Mrs.	27.36
Huntoon, Martin H.	22.80
Hartshorn, George H.	3.52
Hoyt, Robert J.	2.00
Howe, William	2.00
Ingalls, George H.	24.12
Ingham, George A.	2.00
Jewett, Albert E.	11.12

Name	Tax
Jameson, Arthur P.	3.67
Jameson, A. J., Est.	6.08
Jones, Fred M.	16.72
Johnson, James H.	19.86
Johnson, Effie S.	27.36
Keyser, Jas. F., Est.	27.36
Keyser, J. Elroy	2.00
Keyser, L. J.	2.00
Kittredge, Everett	57.86
Kittredge, Ralph M.	2.00
Larkin, H. W.	58.62
Lear, Harry W.	22.02
Lewis, Evans H.	22.82
Lewis, J. N.	24.78
Lovering, Daniel N.	2.00
Long, Helen W. Mrs.	6.69
Lafavor, W. B.	2.00
Marshall, Chas. H.	89.68
Marshall, D. R. Mrs.	141.36
Martin, M. T. Mrs.	92.72
McDowell Frederick	10.97
McKim, William	12.02
Melvin, F. O.	74.58
Melvin, F. O. Mrs.	9.12
Melvin, Josiah, Est.	23.56
Melvin, Edson R.	26.17
Melvin, Sally, Est.	.91

Name	Tax
Melvin, Nathan E.	2.00
Messer, E. C.	4.28
Messer, Roy A.	10.36
Messer, E. C., & Son	98.19
Messer, Frank H.	47.60
Messer, Fred A.	10.36
Messer, A. W.	19.38
Messer, Bert A.	36.20
Messer Bros. & French	32.68
Mead, George F.	26.40
McLane, Martin W.	2.00
Mitchell, Edwin D.	12.41
Mitchell, S., Est.	12.16
Moore, Arthur F.	36.81
Moore, Reuben S.	2.76
Morrison, Iddo Z.	21.76
Morse, Charles H.	31.24
Morse, D. Moody	64.62
Morse, Elbridge A.	2.00
Morse, Harlan P.	2.00
Morse, Leon M.	4.66
Nelson, Delbert W.	91.30
Newman, Charles H.	25.08
Nichols, Guy D.	103.84
Nichols, John H.	2.00
Nichols, Joseph	9.60
Nolan, Thomas	11.50
Osgood, Charles B.	11.40

Name	Tax
Parker, Charles A.	30.27
Peters, William H.	2.00
Peaslee, J. Albert	41.80
Peaslee, Daniel G.	41.80
Peaslee, Fred	22.90
Peaslee, Frank	36.20
Peaslee, George	2.00
Peaslee, L. F. Miss	41.04
Peaslee, Frank J.	37.20
Peaslee, George A.	2.00
Perkins, Harvey M.	17.20
Perkins, Jennie Mrs.	33.44
Perkins, Leon F.	8.84
Perkins, Hattie Mrs.	30.40
Piper, John	18.64
Piper, Justin L.	65.78
Presby, George W.	2.00
Putnam, George A.	6.56
Putnam, M. R. Mrs.	38.00
Putnam, Arthur H.	2.00
Putney, Richard M.	5.80
Rand, George	30.40
Rand & Cheney	9.88
Rand, Geo. F. Mrs.	35.87
Ring, Edmond P.	31.72
Russell, Harry O.	15.91
Russell, Ernest	.16
Rogers, Charles	38.00
Richards, Minot L.	2.00
Sanborn, Joseph W.	11.77
Sargent, Ira Mrs.	24.62
Sargent, Sarah J. & Abbie A.	13.74
Sargent, Harry C.	4.28
Sargent, Orvis M.	7.32
Sargent, Guy W.	2.00
Sargent, Fred W.	5.04
Sargent, Leon E.	2.00
Sanford, H. B.	34.30
Sawtell, John W.	3.52
Sawtell, Ervin D.	2.00
Sawyer, Alice J. Mrs.	20.57
Severance, Hiram J.	33.92
Shattuck, A. E., Est.	4.10
Shattuck, George H.	22.06
Small, William F.	48.36
Smith, Ned H.	2.76
Smith, Edgar W.	19.46
Smith & Keyser	45.60
Stanley, Priscilla Mrs.	9.12
Stafford, E. C. Mrs.	13.68
Stevens, Alfred G.	10.36
Stevens, S. G.	36.94
Stevens, Frank G.	2.00
Stevens, Charles C.	21.76
Stevens, S. G., & Son	9.12
Stevens, Fred H.	71.08
Stevens, Hebert	2.00
Stevens, Clark D.	40.00
St. Peter's Lodge	4.56
Stratton, Fred L.	27.36
Shattuck, Herbert	2.00
Spoonengorge, Chas.	2.00
Spoonengorge, John	2.00

Name	Tax
Tappan, E. M. Mrs.	3.04
Train, Henry	6.56
Trow, Joseph H.	41.60
Trow, George C.	17.65
Trow, C. A. & A. N.	69.69
Trow, C. A.	2.00
Trow, A. N.	2.00
Trow, Carrie L.	66.12
Trow, Leslie C.	2.00
Trow, Will S.	139.03
Tuttle, Homer B.	2.00
Tuttle, Ralph S.	2.00
Tuttle, Hattie B.	6.08
Varney, Frederick	12.94
Varnum, John L.	2.00
Wallis, N. L.	5.95
Wallace, O. H.	5.04

Name	Tax
Wallis, Valetta I. B.	12.16
Wells, Purlington G.	25.94
Ward, Clarence W.	14.16
Ward, Samuel P.	2.00
Ward, Belle E.	18.24
Ward, Ralph E.	35.44
Watkins, A. W.	46.38
West, S. M. Mrs.	7.14
West, Charles K.	6.18
West, Fred F.	57.56
Wiggin, Frank L.	2.00
Wiggin, Addie Mrs.	18.24
Wiggin, Charles S.	13.68
Wilson, Melvina Mrs.	1.14
Woods, Charles H.	2.00
Woods, George	4.28
Wyman, H. C.	18.12
Wyman, Harold T.	2.00

Non-Resident Taxpayers

Assessed in the town of Bradford for the year 1917.

Name	Tax
Abbott, Walter H.	43.32
Adams, W. P.	3.04
American B. & L. Co.	13.07
Andrews, Gilbert	10.64
Andrews, Frank E.	19.00
Ayer, Fernando P.	19.76
Badlam, A. B. Miss	16.34
Bagley, Alberton	9.12
Bagley, Warren T.	12.16
Bailey, R. R.	3.04
Bailey, W. Scott	4.56
Balch, Harry	15.20
Blodgett, E. A.	2.28
Bly, Hattie Mrs.	15.20
Bartlett & Craig	2.66
Barton & Richards	7.60
Barnes, Ida M.	7.60
Brackett, J. Q. A.	30.40
Brockway, Fred	7.22
Brown, Henry J.	7.22
Brown, Henry J.	10.03
Burnham, Bloomfield	12.16
Butler, J. Arthur	9.51
Blakley, J. M.	7.60

Name	Tax
Carroll, E. H., & Son	6.08
Carr, Geo. W., Est.	36.48
Carr, G. Willie	4.56
Chase, Chas. H., Est.	72.96
Chamberlain, Walter	1.52
Coggswell & Holmes	13.68
Coggswell, Leander	12.16
Connor, Frank	15.20
Couch, S. M., Est.	10.64
Courser, Fred	42.64
Courser, H. F.	3.80
Cox, L. D.	6.08
Craig, Frank P.	3.04
Craig, Guy	38.00
Cressey, Fred M.	3.04
Cressey, Ada Mrs.	34.96
Cressey, M. D.	18.24
Crosby, J. Frank	5.32
Cutting, Frank S.	56.24
Connor, Fred T.	15.20
Cume, Arthur	9.12
Carter, Edward	2.66

Name	Tax
Davis, L. E.	5.17
Davis, Wm. H., Est.	7.60
Dodge, P. H.	27.36
Dodge, Ben C.	9.12
Detrio, Calvin	21.28
Draper Co.	69.54
Eastman, Charles	9.12
Eaton, A. S.	.76
Emerson Paper Co.	22.80
Elkins & Hardon	15.20
Eastman, Charles F.	4.56
Farrar, Alden P.	7.60
Farnham, C. H.	22.80
Flanders, Parker	2.28
Fogg & Rowell	6.08
Foster, Harry S.	3.04
French, Arthur	7.60
French, John E.	63.08
Farmer, James C.	1.52
Fox, Jennie T. Mrs.	1.52
Gage, Charles F.	72.28
Greenough, Haines	3.04
Hall, Isaac E.	25.84
Harris, B. R.	27.36
Hawes, Sarah A.	22.80
Hayden, A. W.	13.68
Hiland, John M.	8.21
Holmes, Mason	15.20
Holman, Samuel	38.00
Hazen, Herman	91
Horne, H. J.	31.92
Hurd & Blake	13.68
Ingalls, Abbie Miss	7.60
Jackson, Elizabeth	6.08
Johnson, Nellie F.	13.68
Jones & Brown	3.04
Keyser, C. O., Est.	30.40
Kimball, H. M.	15.20
Kimball, John F.	16.72
Leach, Lizzie Mrs.	8.36
Logan, John W.	10.64
Lunt, J. B.	10.64
Marshall, J. Albert	9.12
Marshall, H. W.	63.84
Marshall, Frank	30.40
Marshall, Albert	3.04
Maxon, George E.	1.52
McCabe, Jos., Est.	15.20
McIllvaine, John S.	3.04
McIllvaine, Clarence	10.64

Name	Tax
Martin, George E.	186.35
Merrill, B. J. Mrs.	15.20
Monroe, Fred B.	16.57
Morrill, Geo. A. Mrs.	3.04
Morrill, George A.	1.56
Moon, Heirs	15.20
Melvin, W. P.	2.66
Nelson, Eugene	3.04
Newell, F. E.	9.88
Nichols, B. H.	1.90
Nichols, John O.	15.96
Patch, George E.	1.56
Presby, Henry F.	10.64
Preston & Marshall	2.28
Preston Brothers	6.23
Prince, Rodney H.	15.20
Proctor, E. W.	6.08
Proctor, C. A.	13.68
Pulver, W. D.	1.60
Preston & Ward	6.08
Peaslee, Frank	.76
Peaslee, Fred A.	1.52
Rice, James G.	15.20
Rice, John H.	11.44
Robbins, W. K.	17.03
Robertson, John E.	29.64
Rowe, Carl W.	1.60
Rowe, Willis J.	4.56

Name	Tax
Sanborn, E. L.	3.04
Spaulding, Lizzie	7.60
Spaulding, S. G.	4.56
Shultis, Mark, Est.	76.00
Snow, Lizzie Mrs.	15.20
Stevens, A. D.	12.92
Sunapee Elec. Light Co.	1.60
Stackpole, William	27.36
Sargent, Walter L.	3.80
Tallant, Hugh	12.16
Thompson, James	53.20
Thompson, C. M.	33.44
Thompson, Leigh R.	12.16
Thompson & Hague	1.56
Tappa	3.04
Wadleigh, B., Est.	24.32
Ward, Frank H.	5.32
Warner, A. C.	3.04
West, Andy J.	1.60
West & Chase	91.20
Wheeler, Otis S.	1.52
Whiting, D., & Sons	30.40
Whitney, W. N.	13.68
Wilkins, Eleanor N.	1.52
Young, Harlan E.	1.52

Town Officers

Moderator,

Leon M. Morse.

Board of Selectmen,

Geo. W. W. Cressey, Roy A. Messer, Frank J. Peaslee.

Clerk,

Lloyd R. Cummings, resigned in January.
George C. Trow, appointed in January.

Treasurer,

Charles H. Marshall.

Tax Collector,

Frank B. Gould.

Road Agent,

Orvis M. Sargent.

Supervisors of Check List,

Ned H. Smith, John A. Hall, George A. Cilley.

Library Trustees,

Joseph W. Sanborn, George C. Trow, Leon M. Morse.

Trustees of Cemetery Funds,

George C. Trow, George W. Cofrin, William M. Carr.

Auditors,

George W. Cofrin, R. W. Cummings.

Board of Health,

Leon F. Perkins.

Sealer of Weights and Measures,

George A. Hemphill.

Constable,

R. W. Cummings.

Janitor of Town Hall,

Henry F. Bellows.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bradford, in the
[L. S.] *County of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Bradford on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing and elect a delegate to the State Constitutional Convention.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $2,000 for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $700 to secure State Aid maintenance.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $933 for Trunk Line new construction.

6. To see if the town will vote to rebuild Wheeler bridge, so-called, and raise a sum not exceeding $1,000 therefor.

7. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen.

GEORGE W. W. CRESSEY,
ROY A. MESSER,
FRANK J. PEASLEE,
Selectmen of Bradford.

A true copy of Warrant.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, February 1, 1918, to January 31, 1919, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, February 16, 1917, to January 31, 1918.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1917	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1918
FROM STATE:		
Insurance tax	$ 53.25	$ 50.00
Railroad tax	747.08	750.00
Savings bank tax	2,449.81	2,000.00
Liquor licenses	1.21	
For fighting forest fires	8.00	
For highways:		
(a) For State Aid maintenance	272.88	200.00
(b) For Trunk Line maintenance	50.38	500.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:		
All licenses and permits except dog licenses	29.50	17.00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	11.36	12.00
FROM POLL TAXES	410.00	400.00
REVENUE APPLICABLE ONLY TO NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS:		
FROM STATE:		
(a) For State Aid highway construction		
(b) For Trunk Line highway construction	1,588.58	933.00
AMOUNT RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES:		
A note for temporary loan of $2,000.00 in anticipation of taxes	2,000.00	2,000.00
REVENUE WHICH MUST BE PAID TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:		
State tax	1,700.00	1,600.00
County tax	1,124.45	1,510.41
Town school district	3,760.00	4,800.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES:		
AMOUNT RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	9,452.47	
TOTAL REVENUES	$16,036.92	$14,772.41

EFFECT ON TAX RATE.

Assessed valuation previous year	$622,409.00
Estimated decrease in assessed valuation	6,000.00
Estimated assessed valuation ensuing year	$616,409.00
Amount required by budget to be raised by property taxes	$ 1,109.30
Tax rate ensuing year per $100 of valuation	$ 1.78

Every appropriation of $1,000 in addition to the estimates of this budget will raise the tax rate $0.16 per $100 valuation.

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PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1917	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1918
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:		
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:		
Town officers' salaries	$ 551.33	$ 625.00
Town officers' expenses	155.18	165.00
Election and registration expenses	24.00	125.00
Municipal court expenses		
Care and supplies for Town Hall	183.63	100.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:		
Police department	25.90	30.00
Fire department	8.00	
Moth extermination	48.00	50.00
HEALTH:		
Health department	19.86	20.00
Vital statistics	13.10	15.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:		
State Aid maintenance:		
State's contribution	272.88	200.00
Town's contribution	350.57	200.00
Trunk Line maintenance:		
State's contribution	50.38	500.00
Town's contribution		500.00
Town maintenance	2,866.32	2,000.00
Street lighting	396.50	500.00
General expenses of highway department	12.03	15.00
EDUCATION:		
Libraries	207.30	207.30
CHARITIES:		
Town poor	592.53	600.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:		
Memorial Day and other celebrations	50.00	
Soldiers' Aid and G. A. R. Halls	336.72	350.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:		
Cemeteries	40.55	40.00
Sewer maintenance		
INTEREST:		
On temporary loans	66.22	100.00
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS:		
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:		
Trunk Line construction:		
State's contribution, paid	906.50	
State's contribution, due	816.21	933.00
Town's contribution	906.49	933.00
SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION	500.00	
PAYMENT TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:		

State Taxes	1,700.00	1,600.00
County Taxes	1,124.45	1,510.41
Payments to School Directors	3,260.95	4,800.00*
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$16,918.71	$16,118.71

*The estimated increased tax rate is due largely to the extension, required by an enactment of the last legislature, of the fiscal school year from the middle of February to the last of August. We are required to raise money enough at this time to carry the schools to August 31, 1919.

†The expected decrease in valuation is due to the fact that we had over $1,200 worth of sawed lumber in town last April. There will be at least $6,000 worth this April.

Summary of Inventory.

Real estate	$512,724.00
Horses, 160	19,440.00
Oxen, 23	2,680.00
Cows, 389	21,696.00
Neat stock, 71	3,455.00
Sheep, 192	958.00
Fowls, 670	670.00
Vehicles and automobiles, 29	8,350.00
Portable mills, 5	490.00
Wood and lumber	14,880.00
Stock in National banks in this state	1,400.00
Money on hand or on deposit	5,866.00
Stock in trade	28,600.00
Mills and machinery	1,200.00
	$622,409.00
Number 218	$436
Amount of taxes committed to Collector	$9,892.62
Tax rate per $100, $1.52.	
Amount exempted to soldiers	$2,860.00

List of Appropriations.

State tax	$1,500.00
Special tax	200.00
Highways, town	2,000.00
Highways, state	609.00
Highways, to secure state aid	304.50
Highways, maintenance	325.00

Spraying for gypsy moths	50.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Current expenses	500.00
Library	72.30
Regular school money	1,500.00
Extra school money	1,200.00
High school tuition	500.00
Books and supplies	300.00
Repairs of buildings	150.00
Salaries of school officers	119.00
Part of 5 per cent	357.91

TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H.

BALANCE SHEET.

Assets.		Liabilities.	
Cash:		Accounts owed by the town:	
In hands of treasurer	$1,979.19	Due to school district—	
In hands of collector, uncollected taxes	94.70	Unpaid balance	669.00
Accounts due the town:		Dog licenses	142.03
Due from county—		Citizens National Bank note	2,000.00
(a) Dependent soldiers	86.00	Interest due on above note	16.67
(b) Unused bridge plank	100.00	Due to collector overpay on taxes collected	3.25
Due from state joint highway acct.	816.21		
Due from state bounties	2.20	Total liabilities	$2,830.95
		Excess of assets over liabilities	247.35
Total assets	$3,078.30	Grand total	$3,078.30

Report of the Treasurer.

For the year ending Jan. 31, 1918.

To cash on hand	$ 854.66
School money	1.11
Peddler's license	5.00
Citizens National Bank	2,000.00
F. B. Gould, 1917 taxes	9,653.27
Dog licenses	142.03
State aid for highways	323.26
Highways, trunk lines	772.37
County poor	52.00
Aid to soldiers	268.72
Excise commission fees	1.21
Bounty on hedgehogs	37.00
Insurance tax	53.25
Railroad tax	747.08
Savings bank tax	2,449.81
Literary fund	61.20
Pool tables license	12.50
Old plank	75
Moving picture license	12.00
Paint	5.31
	$17,452.53
Selectmen's orders paid by C. H. Marshall	$15,473.34
Cash on hand	1,979.19
	$17,452.53

Summary of Receipts.

Property and poll tax	$9,641.91
From the state	4,445.18
From the county	320.72
From local sources except taxes	182.89

From other than current revenue	2,001.17
Cash on hand at beginning of year	854.66
	$17,452.53

For information, but not appearing in receipts and payments accounts.

Property and poll taxes committed to collector	$9,888.47
Abatements and discounts	155.11
Overpay of collector	3.25
Uncollected taxes	94.70

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS.

General government	$ 914.14
Protection of persons and property	121.10
Health	32.96
Highways and bridges	3,978.78
Education:	
Libraries	201.[illegible]
Charities	644.54
Patriotic purposes	386.72
Public service enterprises	40.57
Unclassified	4.56
Interest on temporary loan	62.22
Outlay of new cons. and permanent imp.	2,995.07
To other governmental divisions	6,085.40
	$15,473.34
Cash on hand end of year	1,979.19
	$17,452.53

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

From local taxes	$ 9,653.27
From state aid maintenance	272.88
From trunk line maintenance	50.38
From trunk line construction	772.37
From insurance tax	53.25

From R. R. tax	747.08
From savings bank tax	2,449.81
From literary fund	61.20
From liquor license	1.21
From bounties	37.00
From county:	
Support of poor	52.00
Aid furnished soldiers	268.72
From local sources except taxes:	
Dog licenses	112.03
Business licenses and permits:	
J. F. Constantine, peddler's license	5.00
E. C. Messer & Son, pool table	2.50
William Howe, pool table	10.00
Amusement company insurance	12.00
Citizens National Bank:	
Temporary loan	2,000.00
Harvey M. Perkins, old bridge plank	.75
F. J. Peaslee, unused paint	5.31
School district	1.11
	$16,597.87
Cash on hand at beginning year	854.66
	$17,452.53

Detailed Statement of Payments.

General Government:

1. *Town Officers' Salaries.*

Joseph W. Sanborn, selectman to Mar. 13	$ 22.00
George W. W. Cressey, selectman	130.00
Roy A. Messer, selectman	113.50
Frank J. Peaslee, selectman	97.50
Lloyd R. Cummings, clerk	33.33
Leon M. Morse, moderator	3.00
Frank B. Gould, tax collector	100.00

Charles H. Marshall, treasurer	40.00
George W. Cofrin, auditor	6.00
Frank J. Peaslee, auditor	6.00
	$551.33

2. *Expenses.*

E. C. Eastman, checklist	$ .60
John B. Clark Co., town report	49.50
J. W. Sanborn, mileage, last year's account.	11.25
George W. W. Cressey, attending tax com.	6.14
George W. W. Cressey, postage	7.68
E. C. Eastman, book and supplies	18.27
George W. Cofrin, road agent's bond	6.00
E. C. Eastman, book for town clerk	9.12
G. W. W. Cressey, expense to com. and postage	6.00
Lloyd R. Cummings, postage	1.15
A. G. Fish, printing	6.00
George W. Cofrin, cemetery trustee's bond	4.00
Frank B. Gould, postage and stationery	20.31
George W. W. Cressey, postage	4.10
George W. W. Cressey, fares	4.26
C. H. Marshall, postage	.80
	$155.18

3. *Election and Registration Expenses.*

John A. Hall	$ 8.00
John A. Hall	8.00
Ned H. Smith	8.00
George A. Cilley	8.00
	$24.00

4. *Expense Town Hall and Building.*

W. M. Bailey, insurance	$ 30.00
Arthur B. Gardner	48.63

W. N. Bailey, insurance	16.00
Orr & Rolfe, electric work	9.85
C. E. Hadley, insurance	62.50
H. F. Bellows, clock and hall	16.65
	$183.63

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.

1. *Police Department.*

Harold W. Ayer, constable expense	$ 4.00
A. K. Forsaith, constable badge	.75
Harvey M. Perkins, care of tramps	21.15
	$25.90

2. *Fire.*

Moody Gillingham, account of 1916	$8.00

3. *Moth Extermination.* $48.00

4. *Bounties.*

Roy A. Messer, paid for hedgehogs	$ 6.40
George W. W. Cressey, paid for hedgehogs	18.00
Frank J. Peaslee, paid for hedgehogs	14.80
	$39.20

HEALTH.

1. *Health Department.*

W. H. Abbott	$10.00
Leon F. Perkins	9.86
	$19.86

2. *Vital Statistics.*

H. R. Green	$ 1.75
W. H. Abbott	1.75
Lloyd R. Cummings	3.60
Lloyd R. Cummings	6.00
	$13.10

Highways and Bridges.

1. *State Aid Maintenance.*

Fred Peaslee	$ 42.00
Fred Peaslee	84.30
Fred Peaslee	126.00
Fred Peaslee	71.75
Fred Peaslee	82.65
Fred Peaslee	94.50
Fred Peaslee	82.25
Fred Peaslee	70.00
	$653.45

2. *Trunk Line Maintenance.*

George H. Cheney	$50.38

3. *Town Maintenance.*

George C. Austin	$ 8.40
J. W. Cressey	11.00
F. H. Howe	4.00
F. O. Howlett	28.97
C. A. and A. N. Trow	5.00
L. E. Davis	8.80
Fred McDowell	4.00
Perley Bartlett	2.00
J. H. Trow	5.00
O. M. Sargent	17.00
Craig & Chase	32.50
George H. Shattuck	11.75
Henry Train	1.80
W. F. Davis	2.60
H. G. Davis	1.60
Fred Daigle	10.80
George W. Cofrin, ad.	1.40
C. A. Danforth Co.	4.48
George F. Meade	28.00
Fred L. Bartlett	10.00

O. M. Sargent	500.00
Frank Fortune	8.54
D. C. Hoyt	17.30
O. M. Sargent	300.00
O. M. Sargent	200.00
Charles H. Morse	1.89
O. M. Sargent	300.00
O. M. Sargent	500.00
Nelson Gove	3.00
C. H. Chase	52.25
Milton O. Craig	40.33
O. M. Sargent	300.00
Charles K. West	3.75
George C. Austin	3.00
Robert Hoyt	3.70
D. C. Hoyt	34.15
H. W. Larkin	1.27
C. H. Chase	39.70
M. O. Craig	33.03
A. F. Moore	1.50
A. J. Hoyt	9.70
F. E. Newell	15.00
P. D. Chase	14.00
A. J. Ansart	10.52
Fred McDowell	3.50
Guy J. Barnes	5.63
L. D. Barnes	6.50
O. Fortune	5.25
L. Fortune	16.50
J. Fortune	35.50
L. E. Davis	14.50
E. D. Mitchell	4.50
J. W. Eaton	13.30
D. E. Colby	7.77
George H. Ingalls	2.50
L. J. Gregory	8.75

F. J. Daigle	11.12
A. B. Gardner	3.95
O. M. Sargent	6.02
C. H. Morse	4.53
Robert Fowler	3.75
G. G. Barstow	19.50
E. J. Forsaith	1.95
George F. Meade	26.72
George F. Meade	1.28
H. P. Sanford	1.80
W. S. Butcher	1.00
George W. Gocha	2.50
Fred F. West	1.50
Charles K. West	2.50
George C. Austin	15.00
J. H. Trow	17.75
A. W. Watkins	26.62
C. A. and A. N. Trow	3.00
	$2,806.42

4. *Street Lighting.*

Bradford Light and Power Co.	$396.50

5. *General Expenses.*

W. S. Butcher, watering trough	$ 3.00
Charles H. Marshall, repairing watering trough	2.85
A. B. Gardner, repairing watering trough	2.18
J. D. Chase, care watering trough	3.00
M. H. Huntoon, care watering trough	1.00
	$12.03

Education.

1. *Library.*

Effie P. Gibson	$ 60.00
George C. Trow, trustee	72.30

Elmira Hall, rent	75.00
	$207.30

Charities.

1. *Town Poor.*

Harriet M. Woodward, care C. B. Wyman	$ 28.00
Merrimack County Farm, board of Albert Shattuck	38.57
Merrimack County Farm, board of Fred Shattuck	38.57
Harriet M. Woodward, care C. B. Wyman	20.00
Arthur P. Jameson, care Mrs. L. P. Jameson	3.61
J. W. Sanborn, wood and supplies, Mrs. L. P. Jameson	13.80
J. W. Sanborn, supplies	10.00
Merrimack County Farm, board Albert Shattuck	25.00
C. A. Danforth Co., supplies for Mrs. Jameson	3.33
Mrs. Arthur J. Curtis, board of Sargent children	8.00
Mrs. L. P. Jameson, aid	5.00
Merrimack County Farm, board of Fred Shattuck	39.00
Mrs. Arthur J. Curtis, board Sargent children	20.00
Mrs. Arthur J. Curtis, board Sargent children	20.00
W. S. Butcher, wood for Mrs. Jameson	5.00
Mrs. L. P. Jameson, aid	6.00
Mrs. Arthur J. Curtis, board Sargent children	20.00
Merrimack County Farm, board Fred Shattuck	39.42
Mrs. A. J. Curtis, board Sargent children	25.00
Mrs. L. P. Jameson, aid	6.00
Mrs. A. J. Curtis, board Sargent children	20.00
City of Concord, account of Mrs. Albert Bailey	45.00
Mrs. A. J. Curtis, board Sargent children	20.00

Mrs. A. J. Curtis, board Sargent children	25.00
J. L. Piper, wood for Mrs. Jameson	16.00
Merrimack County Farm, board Fred Shattuck	39.43
Mrs. A. J. Curtis, board Sargent children	20.00
C. A. Danforth Co., for Mrs. L. P. Jameson ..	5.61
City of Concord, account of Mrs. Albert W. Bailey	27.20
	$592.54

2. *County Poor.*

Mrs. George Haseltine	$52.00

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES.

Memorial Day exercises, George K. Stratton..	$ 50.00
Aid to soldiers	336.72
	$386.72

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.

1. *Cemeteries.*

C. H. Marshall, resetting headstones	$14.00
A. B. Gardner, resetting headstones	11.80
C. H. Marshall, resetting headstones	2.00
F. O. Howlett, mowing cemetery	.75
H. O. Russell, mowing and trimming	6.00
H. O. Russell, mowing and trimming	6.00
	$40.55

UNCLASSIFIED.

H. J. Howe, return of tax	$4.56

INTEREST.

Citizens National Bank, on temporary loan ...	$62.22

OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND

Permanent Improvement.

Highways and Bridges.

Trunk Line Construction.

Warner road	$1,678.86
Newbury road	1,316.21
	$2,995.07

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions.

Taxes paid State	$1,700.00
Taxes paid County	1,124.45
Payment to School District	3,260.95
	$6,085.40
Total	$15,473.34
Cash on hand at end of year	1,979.19
	$17,452.53

GEORGE W. W. CRESSEY,
ROY A. MESSER,
FRANK J. PEASLEE,
Selectmen.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

1917			
May	5	By cash received from selectmen	$ 500.00
June	9	By cash received from selectmen	300.00
July	9	By cash received from selectmen	200.00
Sept.	13	By cash received from selectmen	300.00
Oct.	6	By cash received from selectmen	500.00
Dec.	27	By cash received from selectmen	300.00
1918			
Jan.	30	By cash received from selectmen	6.02
			$2,106.02

Report of Highway Agent

Town of Bradford in Account with O. M. Sargent, Road-Agent, beginning April 17, 1917, to

1917			
May	5	Fred McDowell, labor	$ 20.45
	5	O. M. Sargent, labor	30.00
	5	F. H. Howe, labor	2.25
	5	John Fortune and team, labor	8.50
	5	Leon Fortune, labor	1.00
	5	Frank Fortune, labor	2.00
	5	Ervin Sawtell, labor	6.75
	5	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	5.63
	5	O. M. Sargent's team, labor	24.64
	12	M. O. Mathewson, labor	13.50
	12	Ervin Sawtell, labor	13.50
	12	Fred McDowell, labor	13.50
	12	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	13.50
	12	John Fortune and team, labor	30.00
	12	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	34.50
	19	Fred McDowell, labor	11.25
	19	Ervin Sawtell, labor	11.25
	19	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	11.25
	19	M. O. Mathewson, labor	11.25
	19	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	28.75
	19	Leon Fortune and team, labor	5.00
	29	A. W. Clement, repairing roller	1.25
June	2	John Fortune and team, labor	20.00
	2	Fred McDowell, labor	9.00
	2	Ervin Sawtell, labor	9.00
	2	M. O. Mathewson, labor	6.25
	2	Charles Wiggin, labor	6.00

	2	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	23.00
	2	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	6.75
	2	John Fortune and team, labor	2.50
	2	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	4.37
	9	Charles Wiggin, labor	10.00
	9	Fred McDowell, labor	11.25
	9	Ervin Sawtell, labor	11.25
	9	M. O. Mathewson, labor	11.25
	9	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	12.38
	9	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	31.63
	9	John Fortune and team, labor	25.00
	19	M. O. Mathewson, labor	7.75
	19	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	7.75
	19	Ervin Sawtell, labor	7.75
	19	Charles K. West, labor	3.25
	19	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	20.75
	19	Fred McDowell, labor	7.75
	19	Charles Wiggin, labor	7.88
	19	John Fortune and team, labor	5.00
	23	John Fortune and team, labor	25.00
	23	Fred McDowell, labor	9.00
	23	Ervin Sawtell, labor	11.25
	23	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	6.75
	23	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	28.75
	23	Charles Wiggin, labor	10.00
	23	Charles K. West, labor	10.00
	23	Leon Fortune and team, labor	5.00
	23	Ernest Flanders, labor	4.00
	29	Darius E. Colby, grade	3.50
	30	John Fortune and team, labor	24.20
	30	Fred McDowell, labor	9.00
	30	Ervin Sawtell, labor	10.25
	30	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	9.00
	30	Charles Wiggin, labor	6.00
	30	Charles K. West, labor	7.50
	30	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	26.72
July	4	John Fortune and team, labor	8.76

July	4	Leon Fortune and team, labor	5.00
	7	Charles K. West, labor	9.00
	7	Ernest Flanders, labor	8.00
	7	Edward J. Forsaith, labor	2.25
	7	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	23.00
	7	Fred McDowell, labor	6.75
	7	Ervin Sawtell, labor	4.50
	7	Charles Wiggin, labor	8.00
Aug.	1	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	8.85
	1	Fred McDowell, labor	4.13
	18	Plummer Chase, labor	6.00
	24	Charles Wiggin, labor	2.25
	25	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	12.48
Sept.	8	Ernest Flanders, labor	11.00
	8	Charles K. West, labor	15.00
	8	Fred McDowell, labor	13.75
	8	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	34.50
	15	Charles K. West, labor	14.60
	15	Joseph Trow and team, labor	5.00
	15	Fred McDowell, labor	12.50
	15	Hartwell Clement, labor	12.50
	15	Will Colby, labor	7.50
	15	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	34.50
	21	Gideon G. Barstow, labor	1.00
	21	Milton Craig, labor	2.00
	21	Charles Chase, labor	2.00
	22	Charles K. West, labor	11.40
	22	Fred McDowell, labor	12.50
	22	Hartwell Clement, labor	12.50
	22	Will Colby, labor	10.00
	22	Joseph Trow and team, labor	25.00
	22	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	28.75
	22	Guy Barnes, labor	2.25
	29	Leon Fortune and team, labor	5.00
	29	H. W. Ayer & Co., work and supplies	6.74
	29	Guy Barnes, labor	6.75

Sept.	29	Charles K. West, labor	16.00
	29	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	26.40
	29	Will Colby, labor	10.00
	29	Hartwell Clement, labor	7.50
	29	Fred McDowell, labor	10.00
	29	Joseph Trow and team, labor	5.00
Oct.	2	A. B. Gardner, supplies	9.07
Oct.	6	Charles K. West, labor	5.00
	6	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	14.55
	6	Joseph Trow and team, labor	5.00
	6	Fred McDowell, labor	6.26
	6	Guy Barnes, labor	4.50
	13	Charles K. West, labor	15.00
	13	Guy Barnes, labor	13.50
	13	Fred McDowell, labor	15.00
	13	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	34.50
	13	Joseph Trow and team, labor	27.52
	13	A. W. Watkins, labor	11.12
	20	Ervin Sawtell, labor	15.00
	20	Joseph Trow and team, labor	28.36
	20	Fred McDowell, labor	15.00
	20	Guy Barnes, labor	13.50
	20	Charles K. West, labor	15.00
	20	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	34.50
	22	Harriet N. Sargent, grade	5.00
	27	Guy Barnes, labor	4.50
	27	Charles K. West, labor	5.00
	27	Fred McDowell, labor	5.00
	27	Andrew Craig, labor	2.00
	27	Joseph Trow and team, labor	10.00
	27	Gaylord Cummings and team, grade	15.50
Nov.	3	Edward Dodge, grade	1.50
	3	Elbridge Hoyt, grade	1.90
	3	John Barnes, grade	1.40
	3	Frank Hemphill, bridge stringers	5.25
	3	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	11.50

Nov.	6	George Gocha, work and tile pipe ...	2.40
	10	H. M. Perkins, supplies	5.51
	15	G. H. Cheney, grade	10.20
Dec.	4	Ralph Ward, grade	3.40
	12	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	18.27
	21	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	16.62
	21	Joseph Bailey, grade	2.60
	22	Reuben Moore, labor	4.00
	24	Will Colby, labor	5.00
	24	Joseph Trow and team, labor	33.00
	24	J. W. Cressy and team, labor	35.44
	24	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	15.00
1918			
Jan.	4	Gideon G. Barstow and team, on roller	37.66
	4	A. W. Watkins and team, labor	11.00
	5	Geo. Shattuck, breaking roads	5.00
	8	Leon Fortune and team, on roller ...	11.00
	12	C. A. Danforth & Co., supplies	26.17
	19	Charles Parker, bridge stringers	4.62
	19	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	15.00
	19	J. W. Cressy and team, on roller	19.25
	19	Fred McDowell, shoveling	7.50
	21	Fred O. Howlett, breaking roads ...	46.34
	26	Ervin Sawtell, shoveling	2.50
	26	Willis Eaton, bridge stringers	4.00
	28	Dow Chase, grade	2.10
	28	D. G. Peaslee, plank	2.56
	28	A. W. Messer, shoveling	1.25
	28	Fred Peaslee, shoveling	1.25
	28	H. M. Perkins, 2 shovels	1.35
	28	Frank Bagley, shoveling	1.25

Jan.	28	George W. Cofrin, grade	1.50
	28	O. M. Sargent and team, labor	17.79
	31	Walter Sargent, bridge plank	118.50
			$2,106.02

ORVIS M. SARGENT,
Road Agent.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

FEBRUARY 12, 1918.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Bradford, N. H., hereby certify that we have this day completed an examination of the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Road Agent, Library Trustees and Trustees of Trust Funds, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

We find uncollected taxes amounting to $94.70 and that a cash balance of $1,979.19 is in the hands of the Treasurer.

GEORGE W. COFRIN,
R. W. CUMMINGS,
Auditors.

BRADFORD FREE LIBRARY.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

Cash on hand	$ 25.13
Received from Mary Hall Fund	20.00
Received from Town Treasurer	72.30
	$117.43
Paid for insurance	$ 6.00
Paid for Granite Monthly	1.00
Cash on hand	110.43
	$117.43

GEORGE C. TROW,
JOSEPH W. SANBORN,
LEON M. MORSE,
Trustees.

STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

The fiscal school year, under the enactment of the last legislature, does not close until the 31st of August. Therefore no complete report is submitted at this time.

The following statement shows the receipts and expenditures of the department to date.

Received from all sources	$3,866.23
Paid bills to date	3,742.91

SCHOOL DIRECTORY.

School Board.

Joseph W. Sanborn, *Chairman.*	Term expires March, 1918
Edwin H. Dodge.	Term expires March, 1919
Frank J. Peaslee.	Term expires March, 1920

Regular meetings on the first Saturday of each month at 9 o'clock A. M.

District Officers.

George C. Trow, *Moderator.*
Arthur F. Moor, *Clerk.*
William M. Carr, Treasurer.

Truant Officer.

George A. Hemphill.

Teachers.

Miss Hazel E. Wetmore,	Grammar School
Miss Martha W. Cilley,	Primary School
Miss Elsie M. Gove,	Center School
Miss Helen B. Hartwell,	Craig School
Miss Nellie Jones,	Massassecum School
Miss Anna M. Pritchard,	Box Corner School

School Calendar.

Spring term of 11 weeks opens	April 1
Spring term closes	June 14
Summer vacation	
Fall term of 15 weeks opens	September 3
Fall term closes	December 13

Vacation of two weeks

Winter term of 10 weeks opens — December 3

Winter term closes — To be determined

Roll of Perfect Attendance for the Year Ending

July 15, 1917.

Grammar.

First Term—Gladys E. Caldwell, Julian F. Dodge, Tennant C. Willey.

Second Term—Gladys E. Caldwell, Helen C. Cofrin, Ethel G. Goss, Vera N. Gould, Julian F. Dodge, Raymond A. Goss, Tennant C. Willey.

Third Term—Gladys E. Caldwell, Vera N. Gould, Helen M. Wyman, Frank D. Bagley, Perley F. Bartlett, Julian F. Dodge, Kenneth W. Hazen, Tennant C. Willey.

Primary.

First Term—Ralph L. Dodge, Pauline B. Butman, Richard J. Varnum.

Second Term—Raymond A. Caldwell, Ralph L. Dodge, Pauline B. Butman.

Third Term—Pauline B. Butnam, Eleanor T. Hall, Ruth M. Hazen, Henry Varnum.

Center.

First Term—Geraldine E. Adams, Emma F. Cressy, Eva M. Cressy, Charles B. Cressy, William A. Cressy, J. Lillian Train.

Second Term—Emma F. Cressy, Eva M. Cressy, Charles B. Cressy, William A. Cressy.

Third Term—Eva M. Cressy, William A. Cressy, Eva A. Ingalls.

Box Corner.

First Term—Zanella Fortune, Ethel Fortune.

Third Term—Zanella Fortune.

Craig.

Second Term—Vivian L. Stevens.

Third Term—Vivian L. Stevens.

West.

First Term—Carll G. Ingalls.

Second Term—Carll G. Ingalls, Eva A. Ingalls.

Plain.

Second Term—Frederick T. Hawes.

Massassecum.

First Term—Grace E. Hatch.

The School Board recommends that the School District raise the following sums of money for 1918 and 1919:

For books and supplies	$350.00
For high school tuitions	$500.00
For flags	$25.00

JOSEPH W. SANBORN,
EDWIN H. DODGE,
FRANK J. PEASLEE,
School Board.

TRUSTEES' REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H.

February 1, 1917.

Date of Creation.	Name of Fund.	How Invested.	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income Feb. 15, 1917	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income Feb. 1, 1918
Feb. 1, 1912	Sarah Raymond Hoyt Memorial Fund	Loan & Trust Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	$300.00	4%	$56.76	$14.24		$71.00
Jan. 5, 1905	Ann Maria Farrington Fund	Union Trust Co. Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	95.00	4%	3.77	3.92	$3.75	3.94
Jan. 5, 1905	Sarah J. Martin Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	100.00	4%	15.44	4.60	4.00	16.04
Oct. 11, 1906	Clara B. Harvey Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	100.00	4%	12.57	4.48	4.00	13.05
Mar. 6, 1907	Chas. A. & Carlos F. Bartlett Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	100.00	4%	9.14	4.36		13.50
Oct. 14, 1910	Abbie Ingalls Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	100.00	4%	3.40	4.12	4.00	3.52
Feb. 13, 1915	Lottie A. Morse Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	150.00	4%	5.12	6.20	4.00	7.32
Aug. 9, 1915	Betsey B. Walton Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	100.00	4%	5.37	4.20		9.57
Feb. 15, 1917	James H. Blaisdell Fund	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, Concord, N. H.	100.00	4%		3.33	3.33	

GEORGE C. TROW,
WILLIAM M. CARR,
GEORGE W. COFRIN,
Trustees.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Date of Birth		Name of child (if any)	Male or Female	Stillborn Living or	1st, 2d, etc. No. of Child,	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
March	27	Gradon	M	L	5	Gideon Barstow	Ella Cleveland	Farmer	Machias, Me.	Canada
April	10	Ruth Elizabeth	F	L	1	Lloyd R. Cummings	A. Dorothy Smith	Salesman	Bradford	New York
May	25	Ralph Waldo	M	L	1	Ralph E. Ward	Jean E. Bruce	Farmer	Bradford	Nova Scotia
May	29	Clayton Earle	M	L	3	George F. Meade	Sarah Gregory	Farmer	Manchester	Sunapee
June	29	Virginia Evelyn	F	L	2	Hartwell D. Clement	Ethel R. Trow	Laborer	Warner	Bradford
June	30	Clinton Robert	M	L	4	Robert Fowler	Rosie Tenney	Farmer	E. Washington	Wilmot
July	20	Willard	M	L	3	Edwin H. Dodge	L. Estella Blood	Farmer	New Boston	Bradford
Sept.	21	Ronald Abbott	M	L	1	Warren R. LeFavor	Elizabeth Sanford	Farmer	Beverly, Mass.	Laconia
Sept.	21	Amos Walter	M	L	1	George H. Shattuck	Ruth N. Clark	Farmer	Hartford, Vt.	Ashaway, R. I.
Sept.	29	Walter D.	M	L	3	Clark D. Stevens	Mary Hemmings	Carpenter	Whitewater, Wis.	Canada

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LLOYD R. CUMMINGS, *Town Clerk.*

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Groom and Bride Name and Surname of	Age	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	No. of Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 1	Henniker	James A. Milligan	25	Immigration Inspector	Tacoma, Wash.	Paul R. Milligan	1	Rev. E. Lamont Geissinger
		Helen J. Richards	22	Stenographer	Sutton	Paschal B. Richards	1	Henniker, N. H.
Jan. 11	Bradford	Harold P. Eaton	23	Farmer	Woburn, Mass.	William P. Eaton	1	Rev. Orvin H. Wallace
		Grace E. Ringer	21		Dedham, Mass.	Hayden J. Ringer	1	Bradford, N. H.
May 20	Bradford	Nathan E. Melvin	40	Foreman R. R. Section	Warner	Nat. Melvin	1	Rev. George C. Trow
		Etta N. Sargent	43	Housework	Bradford	Ira Sargent	2	Bradford, N. H.
June 20	Bradford	Lester F. Hall	24	Farmer	Bradford	John A. Hall	1	Rev. Orvin H. Wallace
		Ruth A. Hoyt	25	Housework	Bradford	Wm. Hoyt	1	Bradford, N. H.
June 22	E. Lempster	Oliver R. Hadley	22	Mechanic	Bradford	Cyrus E. Hadley	1	Rev. Walter F. Felch
		Lena F. Mitchell	18	Student	Warner	Frank Mitchell	1	Lempster, N. H.
Aug. 31	Concord	Leon S. Corrigan	29	Garage Owner	Sutton	Hugh Corrigan	1	A. Chester Clark, J. P.
		Grace M. Richmond	25	Teacher	So. Boston, Mass.	Warren A. Richmond	1	Concord, N. H.
Nov. 5	Keene	Leslie C. Trow	26	Farmer	Warner	Will S. Trow	1	Rev. David P. Gaines
		Esther H. Davis	21	Bookkeeper	Bradford	Samuel D. Davis	1	Keene, N. H.
Dec. 30	Sutton	Reuben S. Moore	23	Farmer	Bradford	Arthur F. Moore	1	Rev. George C. Trow
		N. Grace Roby	23	School Teacher	Sutton	Robert E. Roby	1	Bradford, N. H.

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Date of Death		Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	Occupation	Male or Female	Color	Single, Married or Widowed	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Mother.
Mar. 5	Lucinda C. Cressey.	98	..	10	Bradford	Farmer	M	W	W	Lyman Davis	Bradford	Mary E. Palmer ..	Sutton .....
June 8	Savala E. Severance	61	10	7	Sutton	Housewife	F	W	W	Henry White	Gilsum	Lucy Smith	Bradford .....
Aug. 18	J. Albert Peaslee...	71	8	4	Wilmot	Housewife	F	W	M	Joseph J. Chase ..	Wilmot	Hannah A. Buswell	.....
Jan. 14	Samuel D. Davis ..	62	..	13	Bradford	Insurance	M	W	M	John Peaslee	Sutton	Betsy P. Marshall.	Bradford .....
Sept. 15	Charles B. Osgood..	82	7	15	Warner	Carpenter	M	W	M	Parksie Osgood ...	Warner	Alzani Hall	Warner .....
Oct. 20	Emeline B. Colby..	73	9	8	Warner	Housewife	F	W	M	Eleazer Davis	Warner	Melinda Davis ...	Warner .....
Oct. 23	Ed. D. Ward.....	71	..	..	Bradford	Undertaker ...	M	W	W	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec. 8	L. William Wallis..	62	6	1	W. Roxbury, Mass.	Retired	M	W	M	Levi Wallis	Beverly, Mass. ...	Olive Reynolds ...	Portsmouth, N. H..
Dec. 13	Priscilla Stanley ...	86	8	13	Baltimore, Md. ...	.....	F	W	W	Enoch Sweatt	Bradford	Jane Brackett ...	Quincy, Mass. ....

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